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NEWS TOPICS OF A WEEK

IMPORTANT EVENTS IN FEW WORDS FOR BUSY READERS.

A Complete Record of the Busy Week's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper.

THE WORLD'S SUFFERERS.

Intense suffering from famine is reported in North Finland. The persecution of Jews in Russia continues on an extensive scale.

Over one thousand nine hundred men, women and children were burned, smothered or trampled under foot in a fire while attending a celebration in a town near Canton, China. The torch was applied by a band of robbers, and a total of 3,000 lives were lost.

MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

Negotiations are under way for a military ride from Vienna to Rome. The insurgents of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, have invaded Uruguayan territory and trouble is probable. There is much discontent in the Russian army with the prolonged period of peace, and many officers think the czar is too pacific in his disposition.

MARINE MATTERS.

A new line of steamships is to be established between Swansea, Wales, and South American ports calling at New York. There will be a fleet of six vessels, exclusively for freight.

The steamer Noordland, from New York for Liverpool, with a broken shaft, was towed into Queenston by the steamer Ohio, bound from Philadelphia. The Noordland had a very tempestuous voyage, and was disabled 400 miles from Queenston.

LIBEL.

Prince Metchenski, manager of The Graceland, of St. Petersburg, has been sentenced to one month in prison for libelling public officials.

L'Electeur, Mr. Picard's paper, of Quebec, has been condemned to pay \$100 damages and costs to Hon. L. E. Pelletier, Provincial Secretary, for libel.

On Friday W. F. Maclean M. P. was committed for trial on a second charge of continually libelling Mayor Fleming, of Toronto.

SUICIDES.

Two more players at the Monte Carlo gaming tables have committed suicide. John Knap, aged nineteen, committed suicide in Montreal by shooting himself with a pistol.

Elsa Ruge, a Russian actress, has shot herself because her lover, Prince Stolski, abandoned her.

A dispatch from Markham says: "News have reached here of the suicide by hanging of Herbert Clarke, eldest son of John Clarke, a farmer, living at Theford. The young man, who was aged 29, had been low-spirited for some time past."

EPIDEMICS.

Cholera continues to spread in the north of France. At Calais, Ohio, an infected tramp caused an outbreak of smallpox.

Two deaths from cholera have occurred in Altona, a suburb of Hamburg. A number of cases of typhus fever have been reported in New York.

Four more cases of cholera and two deaths have been reported in Hamburg. Four fresh cases of cholera and two deaths were reported from Dunkirk, France.

Kilgour, a small town in Carroll county, Ohio, has almost been depopulated by diphtheria.

DISTURBANCES OF THE PEACE.

An explosion occurred in the Paris prefecture of police on Friday. Anarchists are suspected.

Numerous arrests continue to be made in Kiev of persons suspected of conspiracy against the czar.

A mass meeting of Cork citizens has adopted a resolution condemning the recent dynamite outrages in Dublin.

The Irish National League of Great Britain has issued a statement strongly denouncing the Dublin outrages as a blow against the hopes of Ireland.

A number of policemen and firemen at Buenos Ayres have been arrested charged with plotting to burn up the city, with the object of plunder.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Every business house in Snow Hill, Alabama, has been burned.

Orville was visited by a destructive fire early Thursday morning. The Coldwater street rink and several adjoining buildings were destroyed.

At Oswatimie, Kansas, three large two-story buildings caught fire from natural gas and were entirely consumed. Four persons were cremated.

The plant and buildings of the Milwaukee Street Railway Co. was destroyed by fire yesterday. The blaze was started from fire in the car stores.

William Brown's dwelling, in the 11th concession of Hantsford, was burned Wednesday morning. The inmates escaped in their night-clothes and Mrs. and Miss Brown had their feet badly frozen.

THE LABOR WORLD.

It is said the coal dealers in the Hooking Valley will combine against the Reading trust.

A strike among the workers in stained muslin and openwork glass in progress in New York city.

The Springfield, N.B., strike is not settled yet. Manager Cowan refusing it is said, to sign the agreement.

Thousands of the locked out cotton operatives in Lancashire, England, are said to be on the verge of starvation.

The Panama congress has passed a law sanctioning the introduction of Chinese workmen for all classes of industrial work.

The difference between the Baltimore and Ohio railroad officials and the Gravel

committee of the Brotherhood of Trainmen have been settled by the signing of a wage scale, which makes an average increase of from eight to eight-and-a-half cents per day.

RELIGIOUS.

During his 30 years of office Bishop Lewis of the diocese of Ontario, has confirmed 35,000 persons.

Rev. J. R. Ferguson, of Quebec, has been given local by the congregation of St. Anne's, Brockville.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Father Meyer, of Marquette college, Milwaukee, has been promoted to the head of the English speaking Jesuits.

The Prince of Wales will not visit the World's Fair. So says his private secretary.

Lord Stanley has been travelling in western Ontario and held receptions at Seaforth, Petrolia and Goderich.

There is some talk of Lord Wolseley being appointed Governor-General of Canada.

The story that Empress Elizabeth of Austria was captured by brigands is denied.

The guardians of George and Jay Gould's infant children have begun a legal squabble about the amount to be paid them for their trouble.

Mr. Briggs, of heavy fame, was again sustained in New York on Monday, 9th inst., by the adoption by the presbytery of the report of the investigating council. The vote stood 38 to 47.

Mr. Gladstone has returned to London. A crowd of visitors and well-wishers accompanied him to the station at Biarritz and cheered him as the train moved off. Mr. Gladstone looked exceptionally well.

Miss Frances Willard has been received publicly at Exeter hall, London. The building was crowded and Miss Willard's address was cheered and applauded enthusiastically. Lady Henry Somerset presided.

Mr. W. St. John, of Parkdale, has been nominated by the West York Conservatives to represent them in the next contest for the Legislative Assembly.

Louis Pasteur, the French chemist and biologist, was seventy years old last week.

Mr. Gladstone received hundreds of letters of congratulation on the occasion of his 83rd birthday.

Edward Parker Deacon has begun an action in the American supreme court for an absolute divorce from his wife.

Ex-Premier Marcell has gone to Rome to plead the case of the parishioners of St. Hyacinthe against Bishop Moreau.

Mr. J. K. O'Brien, vice-president of the Massey-Harris company, who is removing to Toronto, was banqueted and presented with a handsome illuminated address at Brantford on Thursday evening.

Mr. J. W. Thompson, of Brookline, Ont., is retiring from the teaching profession to take a medical course in Toronto, and to study at Glasgow and Theford. The young man, who was aged 29, had been low-spirited for some time past.

THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

R. W. Godolphin, of Huntsville, treasurer and tax collector, is said to have absconded.

At the Toronto police court Mr. W. F. Maclean, M. P., was committed for trial on the charge of criminal libel preferred against him by Mayor Fleming, and on Friday the operation was again repeated in another case.

Lewis Fox and Adam Grippon, two colored murderers, were lynched in St. Charles parish, Louisiana, Wednesday night.

John Windsor, the Toronto man, who in a fit of bad temper tore up \$170 of his wife's money, got six months in the Central for it.

John Donahue, convicted of stealing clothing from a St. Thomas boarding house, was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison.

Informations have been made against several other persons implicated in the poisoning of the non-union workmen in the Homestead mill.

A jewellery store on Queen street east, Toronto, was ransacked by masked men in a high-light last week.

Count Peter Bonassoff is said to have been killed in a duel with a man from Brooklyn, N. Y., at Nice. The affair grew out of a gambling dispute.

A negro on trial at Bowling Green, Ky., for assaulting a young white woman, was taken from the court room by a mob, hanged to a tree and riddled with bullets.

Twelve hundred cases of contraband opium valued at \$12,000, were seized at San Francisco. The opium was hidden in the sheathing of the steamer Oceanic from Hong Kong.

THE DEAD.

Bob Slavin, the minstrel, died suddenly at Toledo, Ohio.

Crown Attorney Hutchinson, of London, died Friday evening, aged 66.

Orange Judd, senior editor of the Orange Judd Farmer, of Chicago, died last week, aged 70.

Capt. Joseph Taylor, one of the oldest marine men in Canada, died Friday at Kingston, aged 83.

William Shaw, the well known importer of and dealer in works of art in New York, is dead.

Mr. George Taylor, late general freight agent of the Intercolonial railway, died on Friday at Halifax.

John Cathcart, a farmer of Stoneham, Man., dropped dead on Christmas morning while attending to his stock.

Libe Leschynski, a Russian woman who lived in New York, died the other day at the reputed age of 114 years and 6 months.

Rev. Wm. Fraser, D.D., late clerk of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada, died at Barrie in his 80th year.

Rev. Samuel Reed, S.T.D., professor of systematic divinity and dogmatic theology in the general theological seminary of the Protestant Episcopal church, died in New York Friday, aged 73.

Holley Scott, a resident of Oxford and Kent for over thirty years, is dead.

John Comerford, assistant storekeeper of the Hamilton asylum, dropped dead of heart disease. He was 67.

Mrs. Joseph Houle met her death in Quebec by the explosion of a store in the basement of her house.

A man named Dennis was killed at Hamilton a few days ago.

Harry Alexander, Toronto, died from the effects of a trolley car accident.

A young man named Marvin, of Exeter, Ont., fell into a well and was drowned.

Geo. Hellman, a student of Albert College, Belleville, received injuries while playing football which caused his death.

Charles M. Johnston, late of Toronto, has been killed at Kokomo, Ind., by an explosion.

Brother Ignatius, a native of Holland, died at Halifax a few days ago.

Mrs. William Mackay, for over fifty years a resident of Woodstock, is dead, aged 80.

Thos. Hannigan, of St. Catharines, was killed in a saloon row in Buffalo, N. Y., a few days ago.

Geo. Bennett, contractor and a prominent resident of Woodstock, died recently of apoplexy.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

There are 150,000 bibles.

Bath, Me., has a floating hotel.

Uncle Sam has 12,890,152 families.

A ton of coal yields nearly 10,000 feet of gas.

Queen Victoria's dining-room furniture cost \$18,000.

The Emperor of China orders 200 pairs of boots at a time.

There are 110,000 species of flowering plants on the globe.

The telephone has been known in India for thousands of years.

There is more money spent for eggs than for flour in the United States.

Nails can be driven into hardwood without bending if first dipped in lard.

CASUALTIES.

Jas. Robertson was struck by a yard engine at North York Road station, B.C., and died two hours afterward.

The three-year-old son of Jacob Kreller, of Hanover, fell from a high chair, and was killed by a street car.

The 3-year-old daughter of Emerson Currah, Bright, has been burned to death. Her clothing caught fire while her parents were out of the house.

At Chicago on Friday four persons were killed and twice that number injured by the collision of a passenger train with a freight train.

John Taylor, of Belleville, went to Madoc to vote Friday. As he was getting off the car his little finger got caught in the car door and pulled his finger off at the middle joint.

A brakeman on the Michigan Central Railway, who has not yet been identified, fell from a car at Homer, Mich., and was cut in two. His body was cut into two pieces.

David J. Park, senior member of the firm of Park Bros., Chatham, died Thursday morning from the effects of the severe burnings received by the explosion of a coal oil lamp a week previous.

John Boulter, 16 years old, and Emma Shea, about the same age, broke through the ice while skating on the lake opposite Portsmouth, Ont., and were drowned. Their bodies have not yet been recovered.

A young girl named McVane, while returning with a sleighing party from a concert at Renfrew, Ont., the other evening, was killed. The horses ran away and upset the load, Miss McVane striking her head on a railway tunnel at Long Island city Thursday morning.

placed some dynamite near a bon-fire to thaw. The result was a terrific explosion, which wrecked a large number of buildings, killed several people and injured many others.

One night last week Patrick Fenton was visiting a neighbor's family at Highland Creek and during the evening was asked to sing a song. He had a rifle with him and gave a military song.

flourishing the rifle to add to the effect. The weapon discharged, killing one and wounding two other daughters of Mr. Davis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Dundurn park, in Hamilton, has been surveyed into building lots.

The U. S. Wallpaper trust intends increasing its capital to \$38,000,000.

Wheat prices jumped up from 3 to 5 cents per bushel in Manitoba on Friday. The money stolen the other day from the express office at Barrie has been recovered.

Shippers of hay from Kingston to England say the venture has been unsatisfactory.

The postal revenues of New Zealand last year were \$200,000, and the expenditure \$268,842.

Ludwig Mahn, dry goods merchant, of Duluth, has assigned. Liabilities, \$180,000 assets considerably less.

The Waterloo County Council has ordered from England a coat of arms for the Berlin Court House, to cost \$125.

A New York capitalist has made extensive purchases of lithographic stone deposits in Marquette, Hastings county, Ont.

S. V. White, of New York has mailed cheques paying in full his creditors of the unfortunate corn deal which caused his ruin.

The Essex Canal Company has determined to retain Ferdinand de Lesseps and his son in their present positions in the company's service.

The entire police force was discharged Friday morning in order to establish a pension fund. Only those physically fit will be taken on again.

W. L. Sachtleben, of Alton, Ill., and Thomas G. Allen, of Ferguson, Ind., have reached San Francisco after making a tour of the world on bicycles.

The London Standard's Berlin correspondent says a complete opera, entitled "King Lear," has been found among the manuscripts of the deceased composer, Liszt.

On Thursday 250 farmers started out from Virginia, Ill., for a wolf drive. They were within the circle, but in the excitement the animals escaped.

For the first five months of the current fiscal year the receipts at Washington of internal revenue show an increase of \$5,713,879.99 over the corresponding period last year.

The President has proclaimed a definite arrangement of commercial reciprocity with Salvador, concluded on the 29th ultimo. The arrangement took effect Saturday.

Lord Mayor E. H. of London, paid a visit to full state to Lord Mayor Meade, of Dublin. On Sunday both the officials went in procession to the Roman Catholic cathedral, where they attended mass.

POLITICAL.

The Novos Vremya, St. Petersburg, publishes an article, apparently inspired by high authority, disparaging the French alliance.

The Berlin correspondent of the London Daily News says that the Czar will attend the wedding of the Emperor's sister, Princess Margaret of Prussia, for the purpose of improving the relations between Germany and Russia.

The annual report of the minister of finance shows the receipts during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1891, reached \$28,921,871, or \$1,627,488 less than the previous year. The total expenditure was \$28,765,894, an increase of nearly half a million.

THE WORLD'S WEATHER.

Old London is buried under a dense fog.

The Ohio river is frozen over at Cincinnati.

Ice-cutting has commenced on Hamilton bay.

The ice scenery at Niagara Falls is said to be very grand just now.

Charleston, away down in South Carolina, has a blizzard last week.

The Mississippi river is frozen over from above to shore at St. Louis.

On Tuesday the mercury dropped to 23 degrees in New Orleans, the coldest since 1890.

Intensely cold weather prevails throughout England, and much suffering is reported.

A despatch from Chobogan, Mich., says the straits are frozen over at the earliest date for years.

Navigation on the Rhine, Moselle, Beber and Main rivers, in Germany, has been stopped by floating ice.

Damage to the extent of \$1,000,000 has been caused by floods in Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys, California.

Railroad traffic throughout the western states, provinces and territories is very much delayed by heavy snow storms.

Thousands of cattle in Kansas and adjoining states have died on account of the present spell of unusually cold weather.

The people of Birmingham, Ala., have been shivering for four days in a temperature of 15 degrees. One man was frozen to death.

Advertising in Russia.

Russian merchants do very little advertising, principally because the great majority of the humbler classes cannot read, and this is not to be wondered at, as there are 28 letters in the Russian alphabet, which seem to have the combined difficulties of the Greek, Chinese and Arabian characters. The signs on the stores in Russia are mostly pictorial; for instance, the dairy signs are cows; the tea signs, Chinamen sipping tea; a barber's sign, a bare-headed man shaving another, etc. Russia uses more candles than any other country, 60,000,000 pounds a year being the estimate. A large part of these are made in houses instead of large factories.

It is estimated that 75,000 men make \$750,000,000 of goods in their own homes. The fine shawls known as "ring shawls" are made entirely by hand by the peasants of Cremona, and Russian lace, velvet, carpets, bronzes, silverware and enamel ware are beautifully made, some of these things being the finest in the world.

Tanning by Electricity.

A French paper tells of a new process of tanning by electricity, which, it says, is being used on the skins of the stray dogs gathered into the Paris pound. The electric system, it is alleged, transforms the skin into leather in three or four days, against the six or eight months required in the ordinary process, and the leather so tanned is better than that tanned in the ordinary way. It is chiefly used for ladies' fine shoes, and is notable for its soft and delicate qualities.

It Drove Them.

"I've been bothered to death," he said dejectedly.

"How?" asked his wife.

"By a conspiracy. The boys hang their heads every day over my desk and I haven't had a chance to do anything but talk to cranks and book-agents."

Two Differences.

Biggerstaff—You don't have to feed a bicycle as you do a horse.

Tillinghast—There is another difference.

Biggerstaff—What is it?

Tillinghast—A horse is of no use until it is broken; and a bicycle is of no use after.

Natural.

"Parker, the post, has twins."

"I'm not surprised. He's always was daff on compels."

About Registered Letters.

In England a registered letter can be traced to all the officials through whose hands it passes, from sender to recipient. Every registered letter is accompanied by a bill, which is signed by every official through whose hands it passes, except when the letters go from a sub-office to the central office of a town. The registered ones are put by themselves in a green bag, in which they are carried by the postman. When a postman takes letters out for delivery, he signs his name separately for each registered letter, and he must obtain the signature of the person who receives it when it is delivered.

The fee for a registered letter was at one time 2s. 6d., fifteen years ago it was 1s.; but in 1878 it was reduced to 2d., in which year 5,500,000 registered letters were sent instead of 4,316,000 the year before, and as contrasted with 1,300,000 twenty-seven years ago. In the twelve months ending March 31st, 1892, the number of letters registered in the United Kingdom was 12,979,288, an increase of 720,171 on the previous year. Registered letter envelopes, bearing a twopenny stamp embossed on the flap, are supplied of various sizes; at from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 each; and, if these are used, the Post Office makes good any loss up to 22. Letters can be registered by rural postmen on their rounds.

Loss Through the Homestead Strike.

The pecuniary loss by the Homestead strike to the State, Allegheny County, Carnegie Steel Company and the workmen, is estimated at between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000, which amount is considered by those in a position to know a very conservative estimate. The lockout took place on June 30th, and involved 4,000 men. The loss to the old employees has averaged \$125,000 per month, making the total for five months \$625,000. This loss is exclusive of the wages affected by the trouble at the other Carnegie plants. At least thirty-five deaths were directly or indirectly caused by the strike. Besides those killed in the battle of July 6th, many soldiers contracted fever which resulted fatally, one soldier was shot accidentally by a comrade, another was killed by the cars, one struck and committed suicide, one was drowned, and was killed by the cars, several non-union men died from fever and several were killed in the mill and one was murdered by another non-unionist.

Charles F. Law, British Columbia's commissioner to the World's Fair, has gone to Chicago to prepare for business.

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writer's name and address, not necessarily for
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One column,	1 year,	\$20.
2 columns,	6 months,	10.
3 columns,	3 months,	5.
4 columns,	1 month,	2.
5 columns,	1 year,	25.
6 columns,	6 months,	12.
7 columns,	3 months,	6.
8 columns,	1 month,	3.
9 columns,	1 year,	30.
10 columns,	6 months,	15.
11 columns,	3 months,	7.
12 columns,	1 month,	4.

Transient Advertisements, such as Sales
Circulars, Legal Notices, Meetings,
Tenders, &c.—10 cents per line for first
insertion, and 5 cents per line for each sub-
sequent insertion.
Advertisements of Lost, Stolen, Stray-
ed, Wanted, For sale, To let, &c., when not
more than 10 lines—20 cents 1st insertion,
and 25 cents each subsequent insertion.
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 19th. 1893.

Below will be found a valuable
letter under the heading of Diphtheria,
written by Dr. Thomas to the editor of the
Carberry Express. "In our opinion the
warning applies just as much to Elkhorn
as it does to Carberry, and, as the doctor
says, diphtheria being as much a prevent-
ible disease as typhoid, it behooves all
good citizens to consider what steps can
be taken to prevent its coming amongst
us. We should be pleased to see the mat-
ter thoroughly gone into, and all the pros
and cons discussed, and we would remind
readers that our columns are entirely
free for such discussion. It will be well
to remember that this is a matter which
is just as important to private parties as
to business people and those who may
have more interest in the place, and we
would particularly urge every one to
well-consider the matter as being one of
vital importance to himself.

DIPHTHERIA.

Editor of Carberry Express.
Diphtheria is paying its annual visit to
the town, and when it is remembered
that diphtheria, as well as typhoid, is to a
certain extent, a preventible disease, the
present unsanitary condition of the town
is a disgrace as well as a menace. There
are a certain number of people who are,
through ignorance or carelessness, a con-
stant source of danger to the community
at large; the majority should therefore
take such steps to secure the common
health as would counteract the danger.
Diphtheria may be carried from an infected spot by
means of the air, clothing, articles of
furniture, water, milk, &c., and such in-
fection is more likely to take effect where
the constant habits and surroundings of
the people are unhealthy. It is shown
that the virus may be intensified where
there are emanations from decomposing
organic matter, such as manure, straw,
vegetables, dead animals, &c.—Such a
way into the waste heap and thus pollutes
the water, the constant drinking of which,
as well as the constant breathing in of the
impure gases given off by such a decom-
position has such an effect upon the gen-
eral health of the individual, and upon his
system as to render such individual
peculiarly liable to all such diseases. It
is therefore urgent upon everybody to take
such steps as may tend to secure them-
selves and families from this dread dis-
ease. The great rule of health is ex-
posed to the constant wind "Channelling."
The next consideration is how may this
cleanliness of person, clothes, furniture,
house, yards, out-houses, stables, air and
water be secured. Cleanliness of the per-
son, clothes, furniture and house, can be
secured by the constant and periodical
use of soap and plenty of water. As to the
person, the whole body should be thoroughly
washed, at least, once a week and the
underclothes changed as often. It is also
of importance for the sake of good health
that all water used for drinking purposes
should be boiled and if possible filtered.
The flat taste of boiled water may be cor-
rected by pouring the water through a
sieve from a height of, say two feet into
the filter. Every house and contents
should, besides being thoroughly cleaned
every spring and fall, be washed and
scrubbed down at least once every two
weeks. All sweepings of floors and car-
pets should be burnt in the stove; and
also, except where there is stock to feed in
the stall, all vegetable and fruit parings and
refuse. All manure should be carried
away at least twice a week and burnt in a
burning barrel for that purpose, not less
than a mile from town and in a direction
from which the wind comes least often.
It is directly said, "Wash the streets
thoroughly, and sweep them three or four times
a week." All streets should have a
curbstone sufficiently high to prevent car-
riage wheels from flowing in. All steps
from the houses should be thrown in the
street heap of snow the week in the

street to be removed with this refuse.
This being properly done the well may be
as near the house as may be convenient or
possible and all refuse brought as far away
as possible. All yards and grounds
around a house should be kept free from
all paper, rags, straw, old manure, &c.
In the town these very necessary im-
provements may be done by those individ-
uals who appreciate the necessity of a
clean town, but as the town is so small
and the whole lump, so the negligence of the few
may imperil the many. It is therefore
strongly advisable that the council should,
as their duty, take all these sanitary ar-
rangements in hand for the benefit of the
whole community, and enforce by means
of by-laws and penalties, together with
the aid of a sanitary officer and contractor,
the removal of all refuse as suggested.
The large tanks in town for the fire
brigade if not emptied weekly become vast
cesspools. In the center, the municipal
council should see that a corresponding
degree of cleanliness is kept up. Individ-
ual farmers should see to their own places
themselves for their own sakes and the
sakes of their families, and should avoid
their neighbors who do not keep their
places clean, as they would avoid the
plague or pestilence.

W. RUSSELL THOMAS.

Dr. Eaton, of Carberry, replied to the
above letter as follows:—
"I have read with a great deal of satis-
faction and pleasure the very able article
written by my confrere Dr. Thomas upon
the relation which the unsanitary condi-
tions of our town bears to the number of
cases of typhoid fever, diphtheria and other
low forms of fever with which the medi-
cal practitioner comes in contact."
I sincerely hope that others, who con-
trol and direct the affairs of the town and
all who have the pleasure and privilege to
assist will not only read the same with
pleasure but may profit from it by adopt-
ing some scheme whereby the refuse and
garbage may be disposed of so completely
that the inhabitants may move about with
safety from the source of infection to
which they are now subjected.
It is not my intention to enlarge upon
what Dr. Thomas has so fully and ably
discussed but to endeavor to put before
you some possible scheme by which the
scavenging of the town can be completely
and cheaply done.

I will suppose the population of Car-
berry to be eight hundred and the aver-
age membership of each family to be five.
Then we have one hundred and sixty
families. That means as many places to
be cleaned. Now we pay about five dol-
lars per annum to have our yards cleaned
and do not get any thing for it. That is, to
say, we pay \$8 for having been exposed for
that length of time to the very source of
infection from which these diseases
spring. We have been inviting these little
germs into our homes for over a year and
nourishing them carefully for that length
of time in the beds of filth at our door. If
each house owner was taxed 50 cents a
month for twelve months we would have
from 120 families \$900.

Suppose there are fifty horses stabled
in town for six months. For each horse
owner 50 cents a month to have manure
removed. That is \$75. There are at least
twenty-five horses stabled in town during
summer. That at 25 cents a month would
be \$37.50.

Then to sum up we have:
Tax from house owners..... \$900 00
Tax from horse owners..... 75 00
Tax from horse owners..... 37 50

Total..... \$1,012 50
Now, we have this amount to spend for
scavenging. Can it be done for that
amount? I say yes. Say 160 places to be
scavenged. A man can remove the debris
from eight places in an hour. That is to
say what has accumulated in three days
after the town has been thoroughly
cleaned of what has accumulated through-
out the past winter.

Eight yards in one hour and one hun-
dred and sixty yards to clean would mean
twenty hours, or two days of ten hours
each. Then the town could be cleaned
twice weekly and have two days allowed
for cartage.

I contend then that the town should be
cleaned bi-weekly. A man and a team, or
better still, a man and two dump carts
could be hired for \$3 a day or \$15 a week
for any two weeks, which would amount
to \$30.

But we have an income of \$1,012.50,
which leaves in the treasury \$1,012.50.

To continue on the subject, there should
be a complete change made in the closet
system at present used in town. All pits
should be emptied, carted away and filled
with new earth. I would then advise
galvanized pails, one or more as required,
these placed in pits and a box placed in
the closet containing wood shavings and
a small lamp or oil can so that each time
the closet is occupied shavings can be plentifully
thrown in the pail. There should be a
trap at the back of the closet or a hinged
seat, so that pails can be removed at will,
emptied and replaced.
There should also be a box or barrel of
such shavings could be easily handled by the
scavenger to receive the refuse from the
house, etc. A most convenient closet for
winter use is the patent ventilated closet
sold by Malcom and Alkin, and one that
can be put in the house with perfect
safety.

In order to dispose of the refuse of the
town in a proper manner there should be
built a long brick furnace, placed in the
side of a hill so that the refuse could be
drawn up and the refuse dumped in at the
top, and the refuse be drawn in. It should
be placed in such a direction from the
town from which the prevailing wind
does not blow so the smoke as we are not
favored with the smoke as we are at present
from the smoke ground a short dis-
tance to the west of the town. The present
dumping ground is a disgrace and con-
stant source of danger to the inhabitants
and should be visited as next summer
it would be a beautiful hot bed to develop
the germs and we should be supplied with
infection all winter. If the present coun-
cil did nothing during 1892 but to do away
with the present nuisance ground and
construct some better scheme for dispo-
sing of refuse they would be doing for the
inhabitants of Carberry a good deed which
their names would go down to posterity
as benefactors.
Thanking you Mr. Editor for your valu-
able advice, I remain yours, etc.

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An American exchange says it appears that the powerful war vessels, built by Canada recently, carry one 6-pounder, smooth bore brass gun apiece, and that the total crew on board each of these vessels is 100 men. Some one might exceed seventeen men, necessary to handle the powerful torpedo tubes. The exchange further says that it is to be hoped that the crew are not fitted with bowsprit, for if so, some ignorant sturmiest, in seeing these harmless projections, will inform the treasury department that the Canadian revenue cutters are supplied with bowsprit as formidable as that belonging to the Armenian ram.

Mrs. Tel Soss, the Japanese reformer, who is now lecturing in America to raise funds to establish in Tokio a non-sectarian training school for women and girls, has the honor of being the first woman lawyer in Japan. She has been a Christian for only five years.

There has never been, in any age of the world, "over-production." The trouble has always been the lack of distribution from the point of plenty and suffering. The world is full of people who must work or suffer, suffer or work; when the time comes that they can freely exchange their goods with each other, each exchanging with the other his surplus, freely and fairly, there will be greater plenty and less suffering than there has ever been since the prehistoric time, when the first robber band interfered with free and fair distribution.

The English traveller, Mr. Rochhill, has again passed into Tibet from China, disguised as a Lama. He has a good mastery of the language of the country, into which he has penetrated once more, and it is believed that he will fare better this time than on the former occasion, when a diet of tsamba and bitter tea for three weeks reduced him almost to a skeleton.

During the recent visit of Sir John Thompson to Toronto a large and influential deputation, representing different denominations and philanthropic societies, took the opportunity of waiting on the Premier to urge upon him the advisability of introducing legislation for the more effectual prevention of crime. Sir John Thompson received the deputation graciously, considered the proposition favorably, and promised to reply that greatly pleased them, and promised the fullest co-operation in their efforts. He also promised to hold a conference with Sir Oliver Mowat, so that the fullest unity of action might be secured in arriving at the conclusion as to what form the measure should take in dealing with such an important question. Pursuant to his promise, Sir John Thompson had an interview subsequently with Sir Oliver Mowat, and after discussing the matter, the two Premiers practically agreed on co-operative and executive action, as would be necessary to carry out the wishes of the deputation. One of the changes proposed by the advocates of prison reform is the vesting in provincial authorities the power to parole children confined in reformatories. Some think it obvious that if improved methods are to be used for the prevention of criminality amongst the young, the Government that undertakes the work must be clothed with full authority to act. As things are at present, the interference of the Federal Department of Justice must be invoked before the term of a juvenile prisoner is shortened. Sir John Thompson is inclined to adopt legislation so as to have youthful offenders tried apart from adults, with power in certain cases to order corporal punishment instead of imprisonment. He is also in favor of legislation providing for intermediate sentence, and for the identification of prisoners, so that criminals repeating offences might be severely dealt with, but he seems to object to the transference of the power to parole young criminals to the local authorities, but thinks the desired object can be obtained by the two governments acting together in concert. There are those, however, who think that there should be no objection to his conceding in practice what he is willing should be recognized in law. The Premier may change his mind on the discussion of the matter in detail. Legislation to meet the requirements of the case is sure to follow, but it would be premature at present to say to what extent it will go, or the exact form it shall take.

At the annual meeting of the Oak River Agricultural Society receipts were shown amounting to \$789.05 and expenditure \$678.86, leaving a balance on hand of \$91.19. Wm. Headley was elected President; Thomas Jasper, 1st Vice-President; Jos. Andrew, 2nd Vice-President; Thos. Kydd, Sec. Treasurer; Wm. Miller, Geo. McIntosh, W. E. Thompson, Geo. Rankin, Thos. Spears, Chas. Hays, and Wm. Scott, directors; W. J. Todd, members' auditor; and Mr. Cochrane, directors' auditor.

Rev. J. Dyke, Methodist minister, of Virden, while returning from a pastoral visit, had both hands badly frozen.

WESTERN WORLD.

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When the blizzards came and the cold winds blew, and the poor people were bound all with snow, and the beautiful south again.

A team of Winnipeggers will have a tug-of-war with a team from Bismarck, Dak., shortly.

The remains of Mr. Stanley Simpson, who was drowned in the last north, have been found. The body has been interred at Norway House.

The Manitoba ball will take place on the 25th inst. A committee of energetic society gentlemen have the arrangement in hand.

At a meeting of the Manitoba Turf Club Wednesday evening the following directors were elected: W. H. Bateson, E. J. Boyd, J. V. Harris, Major Bowler, E. G. Cousin, W. H. George, and Alex. Taylor.

The dispute among the doctors is still unsettled. It is a matter of controversy that the efficiency of the Medical College is unequalled. The students are loyal to the new staff, and are making satisfactory progress in their studies.

H. A. Seed, a young man, aged 26 years, who is well known in business circles, has succumbed to the dread disease, consumption. He died in California a week ago. He was highly esteemed among a large circle of acquaintances.

Mr. D. C. Carron, the popular M. P. P. for South Winnipeg, has been sworn in Provincial Secretary. The appointment is a popular one. His acceptance of office brings him before the electorate for the third time inside of thirteen months. Nomination is on the 20th inst. and election one week later.

The articles to be exhibited at the World's Fair by the Rupert's Land Indian school have been finished. The collection embraces specimens of work in the industrial arts executed entirely by the Indian pupils. One exhibit is a complete model of the school made of wood on a scale of half an inch to the foot.

The second hockey match on Saturday last, between the Winnipeg and Victoria teams, resulted in a decisive victory for the former. The Victoria team for the next match will undergo changes. It is probable that Merritt will again resume his old position in goal, and Temple, who is said to be a crack player, will replace him at point. Rowan will be temporarily retired.

The annual meeting of the Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange was held on Wednesday. Arthur Atkinson was chosen president, and a vice-president was elected in the person of Mr. Thos. Gill. The retiring president, Mr. J. A. Mitchell, in his annual address, mentioned the low prices in grain and the excessive railway rates. The result of it all is that the farmer has been poorly paid for his past season's labor.

Edward Remenyi, the Hungarian violinist, appeared at the Bijou on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, assisted by a strong company. Probably no violinist living has been heard and enjoyed by so many thousands of people. Great crowds greet him year after year, and his playing shows no diminution in fire, poetry and sweetness. Among the great performers of history he holds a conspicuous place. He is peculiarly his own. Orville Musin, one of Remenyi's rivals, was in St. Paul this week accompanied by a company of talented musicians, including Mrs. Tanner-Musin. The lecture of the Rev. R. G. MacBeth on "Chinese Gordon," known to some as "Kartoum Gordon" of tragic fame, was very interesting and instructive. The large audience that gathered in the large audience church, Fort Rouge, on Tuesday night last, were fully repaid for listening to a lecture which had so many stirring and pathetic incidents in it, and some graphically portrayed. We are all familiar with the unselfish and generous nature of the hero of Kartoum character. He occupies the unique position of one who has been a modern soldier, and a poet. To be the grandson of a Scotch Highlander, to be born in Woodville, and to have fought with Wolff at Crimea, the distinguished him at Crimea. He was the greater part of his life was spent in warring against semi-barbarian nations, notably China and Egypt. He took an active part in the suppression of the slave trade in the White Nile. The subject being a popular one the lecture will bear repeating.

RAT PORTAGE.

On dit that another marriage is about to take place. Canon O'Meara spent a few days' visit here last week.

We are sorry to say that hockey is not so catching as in other places. J. M. Savage, Port Arthur, was in Winnipeg a few days of last week.

Mr. Margach, of Port Arthur, paid Portage du Rat a flying visit last week. Keewatin skating rink held a successful carnival on Thursday evening last.

Installation of officers took place last week in each of the several lodges here.

Pegonias Lodge, A. F. & A. M., have decided to hold their annual ball on the 27th inst.

The genial "Kid" Risteen is leading in the curling competition for the President's trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gerrie are contemplating a trip to Ingersoll and other eastern cities.

Miss May Matheson, Main street, is spending a couple of weeks as guest of Miss Eva Welch.

Mr. Strickland, of Peterborough, Ont., is in the vicinity again. His intention is to locate here permanently.

Joe Hess has cancelled his engagement here.

Miss M. Hennessy, who was spending the holidays in Port Arthur, her former home, returned on Saturday last. A meeting for the organization of a choral society, referred to in recent correspondence, is being held in Victoria Hall last Monday evening.

Her friends and associates deeply regret the loss of the paralytic company of Miss Annie Rose, who left on Tuesday last for Victoria, B. C.

Mr. H. W. Kennedy, of the firm of Cameron & Kennedy, lumbermen, has gone on a heisterian trip. His return will not be an early one.

Rev. Mr. Leacock's lecture "Knicks and Trifles" delivered in Zion church, Tuesday evening, was highly interesting, and was well attended.

Mr. W. Pickett, of Gardiner & Co's establishment, has accepted a position in the Hudson Bay Co's store, a rung higher in the ladder of success.

The Misses Lyon, Fitzgerald and Dorman, who have been visiting Mr. G. W. Murray, 3rd street, south, Winnipeg, returned home Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. Chequing, formerly pas or of the Methodist church, Keewatin, but recently of Bluffhead, Man., occupied the pulpit of the above mentioned sanctuary on Sunday last.

An order supper, under the auspices of the Royal Templars of Temperance, was held last Friday evening in Garfield hall. After the repeat a short but interesting program was given.

The usual monthly meeting of the local union of Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies of the triple town was held on Monday evening last. Some excellent papers on "Social reform" were read.

Brothers W. Oliver and Sam Battelle left on Tuesday evening for the east. Mr. Oliver goes to Ottawa in the interest of the Laird estate lying north of Rat Portage, while Mr. Battelle proceeds to his parental roof in Fyfe Sound.

On Monday last week Rev. Mr. Page and Mr. F. W. Caniff visited an Indian mission called the Dalles, where they provided the Indians with a complete treat of provisions, which they hauled on foot the entire distance.

Afterwards, by way of amusement they exhibited a magic lantern show, much to the delight of the dusky braves.

In these latter days of various conveniences of travel, we marvel or are apt to amuseingly wonder at anything anomalous. Here is the mode adopted by a young and recently married couple, re- young and recently married couple, re- young and recently married couple, re-

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President VanHorne will shortly visit the Pacific coast. A movement is on foot in the States to form a combine of manufacturers of wire, wire ropes and cut nails. At a meeting of the Young Conservative club of Toronto, a few evenings since, one of the members gave notice of a resolution favoring a reduction of protective duties on all essentials of life and implements of industry.

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